GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Service – SPSR Nellore District - Sri A.Madhusudhan Rao, formerly Tahsildar, Rapur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District (now retired) – Common Disciplinary Proceedings Instituted on certain irregularities as per APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Show cause issued - Further explanation submitted - Imposition of a penalty of "withholding of Twenty five (25%) percent of monthly pension for period of three years" against the Charged Officer under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules,1980 - Orders - Issued.

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REVENUE (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 249 Dated: 21-03-2025

Read the following:

1. From the CCLA, Lr.Rc.no.Vigilance/VS.II(2)/333/2021,Dt:22.10.2021.
2. Memo.No.LANA0CCLV(DISC)/85/2021-Vig.III(2)-1,Dated:21.03.2022.
3. From the CCLA,Lr.Rc.no.Vigilance/VS.II(2)/333/2021,Dt:16.05.2023.
4. Memo.No.LANA0CCLV(DISC)/85/2021-Vig.III(2)-1,Dated:04.10.2024.
5. Explanation of Sri A.Madhusudhan Rao, former Tahsildar, Rapur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District (Retired), dt.10.1.2025.

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ORDER:

Where as in the reference 1st read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration has requested the Government to initiate disciplinary action against (1) Sri A. Madhusudhan Rao, formerly Tahsildar, Rapur (Mdl.); (2) Sri Sk.Jameer Basha, Deputy Tahsildar, O/o Tahsildar, Rapur (Mdl.); (3) Smt.M.Surekha, Senior Assistant, O/o Tahsildar, Rapur (Mdl.); and (4) Sri U.Chench Obulu, VRO, Yepur (Vil.), Rapur (Mdl.) on the allegation of issuance of Pattadar Pass Books irregularly in Yepur village and irregular mutations of Government lands in Pangili village of Rapur Mandal which came into light through electronic and print media.

2) After examining the proposal of the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, in the two cases as detailed in the reference read above, preliminary enquiry reports submitted by the respective RDOs, disciplinary proceedings have been initiated against all the Charged Officers. The Charged Officers have submitted Written Statements of Defense to the District Collector. In the reference 2nd read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration was requested to continue the disciplinary proceedings against (i) Sri A. Madhusudhan Rao, formerly Tahsildar (now retired), Rapur (Mdl.) under rule 9(2)(a) of Revised Pension Rules, 1980; and (ii) for other employees under A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, 1991; and to submit a report recording its findings to the Government. It was also requested to complete the inquiry within three months since one of the Charged Officers has already retired from service.

3) Whereas in the reference 3rd read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration has stated that in pursuance of Govt. Memo. dated 21.03.2022, the

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DRO, SPSR Nellore was appointed as Inquiring Authority and he submitted his Inquiry Report on 08.02.2023, wherein 5 Charges are held proved; 2 Charges are partly proved; and 2 Charges are not held proved against Sri A. Madhusudhan Rao, formerly Tahsildar, Rapur (Mandal). While accepting the findings of the Inquiry Officer, a copy of the Inquiry Report was communicated to the Charged Officer vide CCLA's Reference dated:23.02.2023. The Charged Officer has submitted his further representation. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, while enclosing the connected records of the case, has requested the Government to take further action in the subject matter under rule 9 of A.P.R.P.Rules, 1980 r/w rule 24 of A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

4) Through the Govt. Memo. 4th read above, a Notice has been issued to the Charged Officer to show cause as to why the penalty of "withholding of Twenty five (25%) percent of monthly pension for period of three years" should not be imposed on him for the Charges held proved in the Inquiry, within a period of fifteen (15) days from the date of receipt of the Show Cause Notice, failing which, it would be construed that he has no explanation to offer and further action will be taken based on the material available on record.

5) In reply to the Show Cause Notice issued by the Government, the Charged Officer has submitted his further explanation vide reference 5th read above.

6) Government, after careful examination of the matter and after following due procedure, hereby order to impose a penalty of "withholding of Twenty Five (25%) percent of monthly pension for period of three years" against Sri A. Madhusudhan Rao, former Tahsildar, Rapur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules,1980.

7) The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R P SISODIA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri A. Madhusudhan Rao, former Tahsildar, Rapur (Mandal) ***through*** the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Collector & District Magistrate, Nellore District.
The Principal Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.

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